

BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
DOCKET NO. 1999-515-C - ORDER NO. 2000-0271  
MARCH 20, 2000

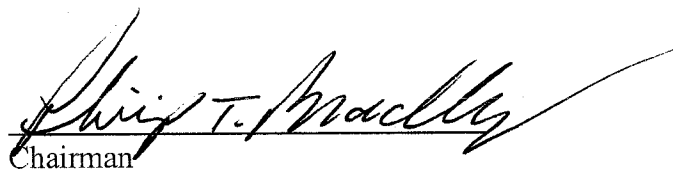
IN RE: Application of Flatel, Inc. for a Certificate of ) ORDER GRANTING  
Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide ) EXTENSION TO  
Alternative Local Exchange Service. ) PREFILE

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of Flatel, Inc. (Flatel or the Company) to extend its time for the prefiling of its testimony and exhibits until **March 15, 2000**. The South Carolina Telephone Coalition (SCTC) does not object to the request.

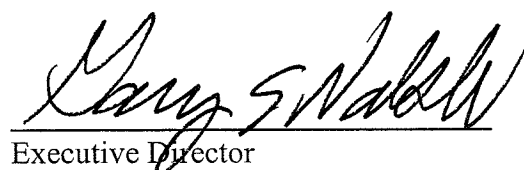
Accordingly, we grant the request as filed.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

  
Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director

(SEAL)